



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: P. Mawet Attorney Docket No.: MEIP117200
Application No.: 09/898,674 Group Art Unit: 2857
Filed: July 3, 2001 Examiner: C.S. Tsai
Title: LOW VOLTAGE LOW POWER SIGNAL PROCESSING SYSTEM AND
METHOD FOR HIGH ACCURACY PROCESSING OF DIFFERENTIAL
SIGNAL INPUTS FROM A LOW POWER MEASURING INSTRUMENT

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

November 7, 2003

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- _____ 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
X 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	36	-	36	=	0	x	18	=	0
Independent Claims	6	-	4	=	2	x	86	=	172
TOTAL									\$172

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated May 7, 2003, set to expire on August 7, 2003, be extended by 3 months, to expire on November 7, 2003. The enclosed check includes the 3-month extension fee of \$950.00.

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C. Amendment Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 151850 in the amount of \$1,122.00 to cover the amendment claim fee and request for extension of time fee.

D. Other Enclosures

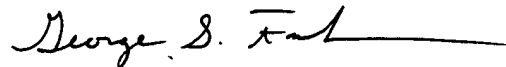
Enclosed is a Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, including a check for the requisite fee.

E. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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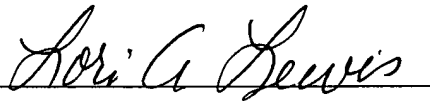


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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of May 7, 2003, applicant respectfully requests that the
above-identified application be amended as follows:

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